

# SC Landscape Architect Registration Program

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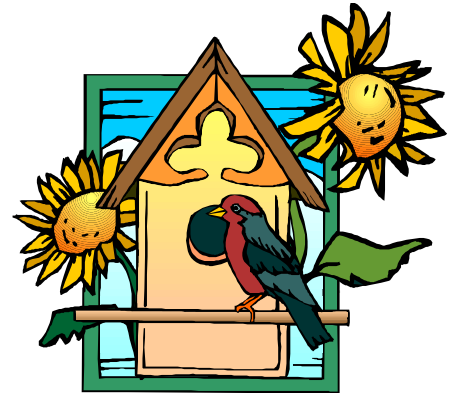
## **Letter From The Editor Sherri F. Moorer, Editor**

I believe most of us welcome the warm, sunny days of spring. There's something wonderful about watching the world come alive after a cold winter as nature unfolds its beauty.

The SC Department of Natural Resources is dedicated to protecting the natural beauty of our state, and we know you are as well. We appreciate your efforts to create beautiful places throughout the state that highlight and preserve our natural wonders.

Our program is growing, and I am excited to see this field continue to develop in SC! If you know anybody that is interested in becoming a landscape architect in SC, please give them my contact information and I will be glad to help them. Likewise, if you have any questions, comments, or concerns regarding landscape architecture in this state, please feel free to contact me.

Making and keeping SC beautiful is a goal we share, and I thank you for your continued work and dedication toward making this a beautiful



Spring is here!

place to live, work, and visit.

Have a wonderful spring and summer!

Sherri F. Moorer

Coordinator, Professional  
Licensing

## **SC Landscape Architect Advisory Council**

Thanks to the members of the SC Landscape Architect Advisory Council for their hard work and dedication to the field of landscape architecture:

Gerald A. Vander Mey—Chairman

Steven L. McCalla—Vice-Chairman

Laura F. Gaynor—Secretary

J. Lee Gastley

Mark L. Baker

# Congratulations to Perry L. Wood!

Congratulations to Perry L. Wood, a SC Registered Landscape Architect that was inducted into the American Society of Landscape Architects (ASLA) Council of Fellows! He was inducted at ceremonies held in Salt Lake City, UT on October 31, 2005. Mr. Wood is the founder and president of Wood + Partners Inc., in Hilton Head Island, SC, which has provided planning and landscape architectural services to the Lowcountry and throughout the U.S. and Caribbean for 17 years. He has been in private practice for 29 years, and during this time has been recognized for significant projects locally that include: Sun City Hilton Head, Sea Pines Resort, TidePointe, Buckwalter and Oldfield. His firm has received awards for many of these projects, as well as for Coastal Discovery Museum at Hilton Head, Berkeley Hall, Marriott's Grande Ocean Resort, and Savannah Harbor Resort.



Perry L. Wood

A graduate of the University of Georgia's School of Environmental Design, Mr. Wood is a member of numerous professional organizations, including: The American Planning Association, Recreation Development Council of the Urban Land Institute, Clemson University Architectural Foundation, and the American Institute of Architects. He serves on the boards of Coastal Discovery Museum, South Carolina Downtown Development Association and Leadership South Carolina. Mr. Wood is also a member of the Beaufort Open Land Trust and the National Trust for Historic Preservation. He served 10 years on the SC Landscape Architect Registration Board, including two terms as chairman, and is a past president of the South Carolina Chapter ASLA.

Congratulations to Mr. Wood on this outstanding honor, and thanks for your continued dedication to the field of landscape architecture!

*Thanks to Mary Hall for contributing the information for this article.*

## Other SC Fellows

Perry Wood joins the ranks of these other landscape architects from SC that are distinguished professionals in the field:

Edward Pinckney, FASLA

Robert E. Marvin, FASLA (deceased)

Kenneth Simmons, FASLA

Truitt Rabun, FASLA

Don Collins, FASLA

## New Stockholders in Wood + Partners, Inc.

Wood + Partners, Inc. is pleased to announce that three of its principals have become stockholders. Bruce H. Boyesen, ASLA; Kyle H. Theodore, ASLA; and Todd P. Theodore, ASLA; became stockholders in late 2004. Bruce Boyesen heads the firm's community planning group; Kyle Theodore leads the firm's parks, recreation and institutional planning groups, and Todd Theodore heads urban planning and design. Each of them have over 20 years' experience in planning and landscape architectural design, and are licensed members of the American Society of Landscape Architects. Congratulations to them on this significant achievement!

Perry L. Wood, FASLA, and Mark L. Baker, ASLA, are the firm's partners.

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## In Memory of Willard Calvert Byrd

The SC Landscape Architect Registration Board wishes to offer its condolences to the family, friends and colleagues of Mr. Willard Calvert Byrd. Mr. Byrd passed away on December 18, 2004. A registered SC Landscape Architect, he was inducted to the American Society of Landscape Architects Council of Fellows on May 31, 1991. His work in city planning and golf course design received extensive acclaim, and he is known as the founder of the profession in Georgia.

We are grateful for his outstanding achievements and lifetime of dedication to the field of landscape architecture.

## SC Title and Practice Act

The SC Code of Laws for Landscape Architects is a Title and Practice Act. This means that all individuals who use the term "landscape architect," advertise or collect fees for landscape architectural services must hold a valid South Carolina Landscape Architect License.

If a firm is a partnership or corporation offering, contracting for or collecting fees for landscape architectural services in South Carolina, they must have a landscape architect registered in South Carolina **AND** a valid Certificate of Authorization issued to their firm by this department. The Certificate of Authorization ensures that the professional responsibility for landscape architectural services remains attached to a specific individual registrant. Federal, state, and local government agencies, individually owned and operated firms, and firms not currently doing business in South Carolina are exempt from this requirement.

If you witness any violations of this law, please contact the SC Landscape Architect Registration Program. You will need to provide a written complaint and a copy of all materials in question. All information will be kept confidential.

# CLARB—Landscape Architect Registration Examination (LARE)

The vignette sections of the Landscape Architect Registration Examination will be offered on December 5-6, 2005 in Columbia, SC. This administration will cover Section C—Planning and Site Design and Section E—Grading, Drainage and Storm Water Management. Please note that these sections are only offered in a paper-and-pencil format twice a year, in June and December. Applications will be available August 15, 2005. **The registration deadline is September 30, 2005.** If you are interested in receiving an application for this administration of the LARE, please contact Sherri Moorer, Coordinator of the Landscape Architect Registration Program. She can be contacted by telephone at (803) 734-9131 or by E-mail at [MoorerS@dnr.sc.gov](mailto:MoorerS@dnr.sc.gov).

For additional details on taking the LARE in South Carolina, including information, deadline dates, and requirements to sit for the exam, please visit our web site at:

<http://www.dnr.state.sc.us/water/envaff/prolicense/lare.html>

## C/LARE

The multiple-choice sections of the Landscape Architect Registration Exam (C/LARE) will be given nationwide by computer at Sylvan Learning Centers on July 25-26, 2005 and October 3-4, 2005. This will consist of Section A—Legal and Administrative Aspects of Practice, Section B—Analytical Aspects of Practice, and Section D—Structural Considerations and Materials and Methods of Construction. Please note that these sections are only offered in computerized format. Although registration is done through the CLARB, please note that, if you wish for your scores to be valid in the State of South Carolina, you must pre-register with the SC Landscape Architect Registration Program prior to registering to take these sections with CLARB. Failure to do so may result in the nullification of your exam scores for these sections. To pre-register, you will need to submit an application to our board by the following pre-registration dates:

- **June 30, 2005 for the July 25-26, 2005 administration of the C/LARE.**
- **September 1, 2005 for the October 3-4, 2005 C/LARE.**

If you have any questions or would like to request an application for these sections, please contact Sherri Moorer.

## Join The E-mail list for LARE Candidates!

Are you interested in receiving important information and updates on the LARE as soon as they become available? You can! Just send your E-mail address to Sherri Moorer at [MoorerS@dnr.sc.gov](mailto:MoorerS@dnr.sc.gov), and we'll add you to our LARE E-mail list. You'll receive information on testing dates, registration deadlines, and study materials and sessions, as well as registration forms and other news from our board pertaining to the LARE. For quick processing, please put "LARE List" in the subject line of your message.

# **Congratulations to our New Registrants!**

**Congratulations to the following individuals that successfully completed the LARE and have been granted registration as a landscape architect in South Carolina:**

Evan Warfield Brandon

Jacob Aaron Cordray

Bryan Ray Shumpert

Peter D. Stebbing

Shannon Michelle Tuch

Todd K. Zeiller

**We also congratulate the following individuals that were granted reciprocity registration in South Carolina:**

James Philip Cannon

Paul David DellaMea

Robert Reid Hewitt

Andrew David Hill

Brian G. Hodges

Mark Louis Kaltsas

Jeffrey Robert Lormond

Guy Pearlman

Brian Owen Purdy

Ryan Patrick Thompson

George Hamilton Williams II

Jon Mikel Williams

**Finally, we wish to welcome the following firms that were granted a Certificate of Authorization in South Carolina:**

Andropogon Associates

Berenyi Incorporated

Paul D. DellaMea, Landscape Architecture & Land Planning

Williams & Associates Land Planners, P.C.

Woolpert, Inc.

WRG Design Inc.

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The SC Landscape Architect Registration Program is administered through the SC Department of Natural Resources—Land, Water and Conservation Division. Mr. John Frampton is the Director of the SC Department of Natural Resources, and Mr. Alfred Vang is the Deputy Director of the Land, Water and Conservation Division.

Sherri F. Moorers is the Coordinator of Professional Licensing, and M. Diane VanDerHoff is the Director of Professional Licensing. Our office is located in Columbia, SC, and is open Monday—Friday, 8:00 A.M.— 4:30 P.M.

You can contact us at the address, telephone number, FAX number, and E-mail located in the sidebar.

## Office Closing Dates

Please note that our office will be closed in observance of the following SC State Holidays:

- Tuesday, May 10, 2005—Confederate Memorial Day.
- Monday, May 30, 2005—Memorial Day.
- Monday, July 4, 2005—Independence Day.
- Monday, September 5, 2005—Labor Day.



Spring and summer holidays